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Congressman Lee Terry today took part in a hearing held by the House Subcommittee on Energy and Power concerning a comprehensive initiative to address our nation's energy challenges.

"We need a comprehensive approach to our nation's energy policy. Gas prices have increased by 113 percent over the past three years. The problem is we can't get to our own energy resources and are becoming increasingly more reliant on foreign sources of energy.

"Today we looked at a plan which streamlines the process of American-made energy production through state-of-the-art technology and reasonable regulations. We need to maximize the development of American resources. It is time for Congress to get serious about energy."